

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the following Claims as indicated.

1. (Currently amended) Docking apparatus for use with a portable computer in a vehicle, comprising:
  - a bracket including a base and an arm for attaching the apparatus to a dashboard of the vehicle; and
  - a docking cradle attached to the arm that comprises a connector adjacent its lower end that mates with a connector of the portable computer to electrically interconnect the personal portable computer to the docking cradle;
  - a power cable and connector for connecting the docking cradle to a vehicle power source; and
  - an audio cable interconnects the docking cradle to a vehicle audio system.
2. (Original) The apparatus recited in Claim 1 wherein the portable computer comprises HP Jornada portable computer.
3. (Original) The apparatus recited in Claim 1 wherein the docking cradle comprises plastic.
4. (Original) The apparatus recited in Claim 1 wherein the power cable and connector comprise a cigarette lighter adapter.
5. (Original) The apparatus recited in Claim 1 wherein the audio cable electrically connects the portable computer to the vehicle audio system.
6. (Original) The apparatus recited in Claim 1 wherein the audio cable is connected to an input connector of the vehicle audio system.

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7. (Original) The apparatus recited in Claim 1 wherein the audio cable permits audio playback of music files stored in the portable computer.